SENATE RESOLUTION 65 By Cooper J

A RESOLUTION To commend Mr. Ryan Andrew "Drew" Ermenc for exemplary service as a legislative intern.

WHEREAS, Each legislative session this body is pleased to recognize certain persons who have committed themselves, through their adroit service, to the betterment of the legislative process; and

WHEREAS, Mr. Ryan Andrew "Drew" Ermenc is one such individual who has distinguished himself in his role as Senator Jerry Cooper's loyal and efficient Legislative Aide. Senator Cooper could not have made it through this grueling Legislative Session without Drew's expert help and advice; and

WHEREAS, Drew has been of great assistance in cheerfully providing transportation services to Senator and Mrs. Lisa Cooper whenever needed, keeping the Coopers "on time" during their daily schedules; and

WHEREAS, He has also been cognizant of the needs of his immediate supervisor,
Christina Barber, and cheerfully made frequent "chocolate runs" to keep peace and harmony in
the office. Drew was also very good at doing special "Taco Salad" and "Dunkin' Donut" runs
when the need arose (especially on nerve-racking Committee days); and

WHEREAS, Drew is a resident of Hendersonville and attended Maryville College, where he earned a B.A. Degree in Psychology; his ultimate plans are to pursue a career in Tennessee politics or lobbying; and

WHEREAS, Drew Ermenc has been a hardworking, dedicated assistant – a vital part of Senator Cooper's staff. His good nature and indomitable spirit have garnered him the respect of his fellow staff members and legislators; and

WHEREAS, Drew has performed his many duties with extraordinary insight and rare decorum; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE SENATE OF THE ONE HUNDRED SECOND GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, That we hereby commend Mr. Ryan Andrew "Drew" Ermenc for outstanding service as a legislative intern for Senator Jerry Cooper and extend to him our best wishes for every future success.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, That an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation to Drew with this final clause omitted from such copy.

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